

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF COUNCIL

*HIS WORSHIP, THE MAYOR
AND COUNCILLORS*

SUBJECT: COMMUNITY GRANT APPLICATION

RECOMMENDATION:

1. THAT Council approve the grant recommendation, as outlined in the report.

REPORT**INTRODUCTION**

The Executive Committee of Council, at its meeting held on 2020 November 04, considered a grant application from a community group supporting Burnaby residents.

POLICY

The provision of grants to community groups is aligned with the City of Burnaby's Corporate Strategic Plan by supporting the following goals and sub-goals of the Plan:

- A Connected Community
 - Social connection – Enhance social connections throughout Burnaby
- An Inclusive Community
 - Create a sense of community – Provide opportunities that encourage and welcome all community members and create a sense of belonging
- A Healthy Community
 - Healthy life – Encourage opportunities for healthy living and well-being

RECOMMENDATION

The Executive Committee of Council recommends the following grant for Council's approval:

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From: Executive Committee of Council
Re: Community Grant Application
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#20.34. Pro Motion Research Institute and the Fortius Foundation \$15,000
KidsMove Schools

An application was received from the Pro Motion Research Institute and the Fortius Foundation requesting a grant in support of their ten-week KidsMove Schools program to take place from 2020 October 27 to 2021 June 18 at Fortius Sport & Health in Burnaby. Children are transported for a two-hour long program that allows them to focus on building skills such as running, passing, and throwing with a variety of sports such as cricket, curling, and ultimate Frisbee. The KidsMove program provides inclusive physical and health education to Burnaby elementary school students; builds skills, confidence and enjoyment in physical activity; and furthers teachers' knowledge to deliver schools' physical and health education programs. After an extended break due to the ongoing pandemic, costs have increased as more space, more equipment, and more coaches need to be provided. BC safety guidelines and protocols will be put in place to ensure a safe environment for all students, teachers and staff. The program will be supporting over 450 Burnaby children aged 9-12.

Request: \$18,000

CPA: 2019 – \$15,000
2018 – No Application
2017 – No Application

Respectfully submitted,

Councillor S. Dhaliwal
Chair

Mayor M. Hurley
Vice Chair

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